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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the document that is discussed below and a copy of which is attached, which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) for foreign language documents, Applicants submit the following explanations. In the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 21, 2005, three foreign language documents were listed on the PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) form. Applicants now enclose an English translation of a Notification of Transmittal of Translation of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability for PCT/JP2004/005040 (dated March 9, 2006), which includes the International

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Authority. The International Preliminary Report with its Written Opinion comprises a further

concise statement of relevance with respect to the three foreign language documents that were

listed in PTO/SB/08 A&B (modified) form filed with the Information Disclosure Statement of

October 21, 2005.

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